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Applicant: Bernd Schulze

Serial No: 09/507,453

Filing Date: February 22, 2003 TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3700

Title: INTERNAL HIGH PRESSURE TRANSFORMING PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION
OF IN PARTICULAR BELLY SHAPED REAR CUT HOLLOW BODIES AND
ASSOCIATED DEVICE

Examiner: David B. JONES

Art Unit: 3725

January 21, 2003

Attorney's Docket No.: RUM213

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on September 19, 2002 and setting a shortened statutory period for response of three months to expire on December 19, 2002.

Applicant petitions that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224.

Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

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